

THE INLAND WATERWAY

The Special Board in Session at Norfolk.

A WIRELESS STATION

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NORFOLK, VA., August 6.—There was a session of the Inland Waterway Board here to-day. The board consists of the following officers, appointed by the government: Col. J. B. Gunn, of Savannah; Col. J. C. Allen, of Washington, and Captain E. E. Winslow, of Norfolk. These are all engineers, and they are appointed to examine the proposed water route from Beaufort, N. C., to Norfolk, and report the result of their investigations to the chief engineers of the United States Army.

They received the report compiled here for Captain W. H. May, president of the Chamber of Commerce, stating the commercial advantages of the inland waterway.

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Wireless telegraphy will soon be tried at the navy yard. The top section of the hundred foot mast was placed to-day, and as soon as the apparatus arrives the connection by wireless telegraph will be established with Washington, Annapolis, Cape Henry and Hampton.

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business arrangements lately agreed upon.

Perhaps the most important feature of the evening's proceedings was the issuing of a call for a county convention to meet here September 14th, to the effect, in substance, that the large field of possibilities was generally discussed, and met with unanimous approbation.

The fact that the county is so far-reaching, alone serves to show the magnitude and importance of the undertaking.

Mr. W. H. Riden, of Warrenton, was appointed chairman of the Executive Committee for the coming convention.

All communications having reference to this subject should be addressed to him at an early date.

A number of prominent men have been invited here to speak, and have already given their acceptance. Among them are genuine enthusiasts upon Y. M. C. A. work, who will address the convention.

WAS THRICE WARNED
Walker's Persistence in Lying With His Head on Rail Puzzles Railroad Men.

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CREWES, VA., Aug. 6.—The remains of F. J. Walker, who was killed at Dismal, on the Norfolk and Western Railroad, were brought here yesterday and interred in the Crewes Cemetery.

His death is particularly sad, as he was a young man of promise. He had already been thrice warned by the railroad men to stop lying with his head on the rail, when he had been aroused several times and warned of his danger. He leaves a father, mother and several brothers and sisters. They reside in two miles of this place.

Ray Herring, the boy whose skull was crushed by the train, was also lying with his head on the rail, when he was killed. His father has arrived from Pittsburg, Pa., and is in the city with his family.

Mr. Fitzhugh Payne, one of the popular clerks in the main office of the Norfolk and Western, left for Washington yesterday. He has accepted a position with the Southern Railroad.

SURPRISE MARRIAGE OF NEW ORLEANS COUPLE
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

WYTHEVILLE, VA., Aug. 6.—Miss Amabel Bertha Chretien and Mr. Warren Stone Patrick, both of New Orleans, were quietly married here this morning. Both are summer visitors to Wytheville, the bride having spent her summers here for years. The wedding was quite a surprise to the community. Mr. and Mrs. Patrick went to Roanoke on the morning train, but will return to Wytheville in a few days.

The bride is a daughter of Judge Chretien, a prominent citizen of New Orleans.

Suit for False Arrest.
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

WYTHEVILLE, VA., Aug. 6.—D. D. Caffee, general manager of the Brown Electric Company, has instituted suit in Circuit Court of Wythe County against A. F. and A. M. Stone for \$5,000 damages for false arrest, growing out of the warrant issued yesterday for Mr. Caffee's arrest for larceny.

WEST RICHMOND DIST. CONFERENCE
Resolution Against Worldly Amusements—Rev. Mr. Duncan Withdraws.

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CHESTER, VA., August 6.—At the opening of the third day's session of the West Richmond District Conference this morning, Rev. H. E. Johnson read a supplementary resolution on the subject of "Worldly Amusements." The resolution was adopted by the conference, and the committee on Temperance made its report, all of which were adopted.

An impression having gone out that the discussion on "Worldly Amusements" was a subject of theatre-going and dancing, the following preamble and resolution were offered by Rev. R. M. Maxey and adopted:

Whereas, there has arisen among our younger brethren of the ministry some question as to what is expected of them as pastors in charge; and

Whereas, in the discussion on the floor of this conference nothing definite was decided upon, but on the contrary, some impression of indefiniteness was left in the minds of some; therefore,

Resolved, That the minister of this district conference do not endorse the enforcement of the laws as laid down in our "Discipline," urging only that the law be followed in the spirit of the Master.

A motion to reconsider the action in the case of Dr. Duncan was carried, and a message was received from Dr. Duncan stating that it was impossible for him to come to the conference to personally present his request to be recommended to readmission into the Annual Conference, and the request for readmission was withdrawn.

The conference then adjourned for the preaching hour, Rev. Bosman taking the pulpit, preaching from the text, Matthew 23:23. After the service, the conference adjourned.

Mr. B. S. White, near this place, was struck and damaged by lightning, which killed a pig and a cow which was taking shelter on the house.

Mr. Thomas Shelton, of Bedford county, was married Wednesday.

Miss Cora Whitmore, who has been ill for some time with typhoid fever, is improving very slowly.

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TIDEWATER CHRISTIANS

Close Their Annual Convention and Take an Outing.

REPUBLICANS IN THE FIELD

William K. Vanderbilt's Wonderful Turbine Yacht Just Arrived, Is Only a Racing Machine, With Accommodations for Little Fuel.

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NEWPORT NEWS, VA., August 6.—The annual convention of the Tidewater Christian Churches, which opened here Tuesday morning, closed to-night. The last session was held at 8 o'clock, and an eloquent address by Rev. George J. Linder closed the programme. Many of the delegates left for their homes during the day, but the majority waited over to attend to-night's session, and will leave to-morrow morning.

A business session was held this morning at 10:30 o'clock and reports of committees were received. At 1:30 o'clock the body convened again, and Mr. J. W. West delivered an address on "Anti-Saloonism."

Afternoon session was short, and at 3 o'clock the delegates went down to Buckroe Beach to spend the afternoon.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.
Mr. A. C. Peachy, one of the most prominent Republicans of this section of the State, makes the statement, at this time, that he will not be a candidate to oppose J. P. Stearnes for the House of Delegates, and Mr. S. W. Holt for the Senate.

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FRONT ROYAL HORSE SHOW

Rain Could Not Dampen the Ardor of Spectators.

AN EXCELLENT EXHIBITION
Racing and Jumping Considered Best Ever Witnessed There—The Crowd Estimated at Over Four Thousand People.

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FRONT ROYAL, VA., Aug. 6.—The weather for the second day's exhibit of the Front Royal Horse Show was typical show weather until noon, when rain-began and continued for about two hours. The rain, however, did not stop the show. The racing and jumping was considered by all to be the best ever witnessed here. The crowd was estimated at 4,000. Summary:

Four-year-old hunters—William Tell (J. Willie Bowles) first, April Pool (William F. Randolph) second, Red Raven (Roger Brothers) third.

Flat race, 600 yards, in heats—Lady H. (Byrd Fletcher) first, Belle Byrd (J. R. Baldwin, Jr.) second.

Horses in harness, over 15-5—Valley (Hall & Warthen) first, King (Fred H. Hollingsworth) second, Mr. Turner (Charles Mulliken) third.

Park hacks, 15-2 and under—Robin Adair (Mrs. Blair Johnson) first, Income (Charles Mulliken) second, Major B. (W. L. Bowles) third.

Best pair horses in harness—Epiacopellian and Valley (A. L. Warthen) first, Mr. and Mrs. Turner (Charles Mulliken) second, Cherish and Bounce (Charles Mulliken) third.

Light-weight hunters—Torchtlight (James D. Hall, Jr.) first, Scout (H. M. Luttrell) second, Boxer (R. H. Dulaney) third.

Light driving class—Stalley (Mrs. A. L. Warthen) first, Jackpot (Dr. E. Sothern) second, Twilight (Miss Julia R. Taylor) third.

Hunters and jumpers, free-for-all—Red Raven (Roger Brothers) first, Each (B. H. Dulaney) second, Perfection (John T. Lindsay) third.

Sporting tandem—Mrs. Turner and Leader (Charles Mulliken) first, Wheeler and Red Raven (Rogers and Richards) second, King of Diamonds and Perfection (J. T. Lindsay) third.

Ladies' hunters—Atlanta (H. M. Luttrell) first, Venonah (Mrs. Blair Johnson) second, Marie (H. M. Luttrell) third.

Open steeplechase, about two and a half miles—McLomora (Portner Brothers) first, Duke of Grassland (James D. Hall, Jr.) second.

Three-fourths of a mile race—Lady H. (Byrd Fletcher) first, Escape (Roger Brothers) second, Philopina (W. P. King) third.

MR. GAMBILL WEDS
A YOUTHFUL BRIDE

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
ROANOKE, VA., August 6.—Considerable interest was excited here this morning by the announcement that J. M. Gambill, formerly of this city, who is fifty-eight years of age, was married in New York on the 4th to Miss Jeanette Hyand, eighteen years of age.

One of Mr. Gambill's daughters married a son of the late John D. Dulaney, and another a son of Evangelist Schoolfield, of Danville. Mr. Gambill is a prominent sanctificationist, and has conducted meetings with Strouse and Oakley.

His bride is said to be the daughter of a missionary among the Southern negroes.

HORSE SHOW ASS'N ORGANIZED IN LOUISA

Lively Interest in the Coming Primary—Monument Entertainment.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LOUISA, VA., August 6.—The Louisa Horse Show Association was organized this week with J. E. Porter as president, W. R. Goodwin, secretary and treasurer, and J. Reid Wills, general manager.

The Board of Directors comprise the following gentlemen: C. B. Vest, John W. Morris, R. A. Crawford, A. G. Dickinson, H. W. Monroe, Dr. R. G. Broome, Dr. E. A. Terrell, J. J. Lovell, and J. F. Bleck.

It is the purpose of the association to make extensive preparations for the initial show in 1904.

A lively interest is being manifested in the primary to be held in this county September 12th. Some of the numerous candidates are outspoken in their opposition to the viva voce plan adopted by the Democratic Committee, and, in fact, a good many voters oppose the plan, and some may stay away from the polls on that account.

The Monument Association will have an entertainment in the Town Hall some time in the near future for the purpose of completing the fund necessary for the memorial to Louisa's Confederate dead.

G. M. G. Turner sold to J. R. Wills, through Porter and Gates, real estate dealers, his house and farm known as the old Butler homestead, for \$3,000 this week.

THE DUNLOP FACTORY

A Deed of Lease to David Dunlop Incorporated.

THE CONDEMNED MEN

A Meeting Called of Street-Car Union Employees—The Family of a Jewish Rabbi Coming to Him from Russia.

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PETERSBURG, VA., August 6.—A deed from David Dunlop, lessor, to "David Dunlop," a corporation formed under the laws of New Jersey, lessee, has been filed in the clerk's office in this city. The deed transfers from David Dunlop, lessor, to the David Dunlop Corporation the building on Old Street, known as the Dunlop tobacco factory, together with all machinery, business, brands, etc., for an annual rental of \$10,000.00, payable in semi-annual installments for a period of thirty years, with the privilege of renewing lease for ten years, renewable for ten more years at the expiration of this term, and so on practically for an indefinite period.

The lessor is to pay the taxes on the property, the insurance, to keep the building and machinery in proper repair. The deed is signed by David Dunlop and Martin S. Dunlop, vice-presidents, and J. T. Wilcox as secretary. No other officers are named.

PREPARING TO DIE.
Anderson Finch and Dock Bacon, the two negroes in jail in this city awaiting execution for the attempted criminal assault on Mrs. Geoghegan at Boydton, Va., have professed religion under Rev. Ferrell (colored), pastor of the Baptist Temple on High Street. Ferrell visited the prisoners last evening. Both have professed conversion, and both say they are ready to die, knowing that they will soon enter the "atmosphere of heaven."

The preacher prayed and sang with the condemned men for some time, and will visit them regularly until the day of execution. They desire a preacher to go with them upon the scaffold, and he has promised to do so. Ferrell last evening asked the men why they committed the crime. Both of them say they are innocent and know nothing about it.

All members of the Petersburg Branch, Division 152, Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Employees of America in good standing are requested to attend a meeting at Pythian Hall in this city to-morrow evening at 9 o'clock, when matters said to be of utmost importance to every member will be discussed.

A HAPPY REUNION.
The wife and children of Rev. Mr. Keusner, of this city, are now on their way from Russia to Petersburg. Rev. Mr. Keusner is the rabbi of the orthodox Jewish congregation here. He has been in this country for the past year, while his family remained at their home in Russia. He is naturally jubilant over the prospect of soon being with his loved ones.

The condition of Mr. W. W. Brister is much improved. He is now in good health, and is expected to return to his home in the western part of the State.

Cadet Rosewell Page has returned to Blacksburg after a visit to his grandfather, Mr. Claborn, in Petersburg.

The July term of the Corporation Court has adjourned. There will be no term of the court in August.

Both the Walter L. Bohn circus and Wallace's circus are booked to show in Petersburg next month.

BONDS FOR SEWERS
Cape Charles' Council Will Issue Ten Thousand Dollars Worth.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
CAPE CHARLES, VA., Aug. 6.—The City Council Monday night decided to issue bonds to the amount of \$10,000 for sewerage system. The bonds will run for twenty years and bids will be run for. Construction is expected to begin by September. No trouble is anticipated in raising the bonds at 10 per cent. or less.

A. H. Hamilton & Son have sold their stock in the Cape Charles Water Works to Councilman J. W. Anderson for \$2,000 cash.

Mr. H. E. Murray has resigned his position as station agent for the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Railway Company and with Mrs. Murray left this morning for the Cape Charles, where they will remain for a month's vacation, when he will return and engage in business here.

The L. E. Munford Banking Company has purchased the interest of Mr. A. Randolph Howard, the Frederickburg banker, in the Capital National Bank of Irvington, and the Bank of Middlesex, at Urbana.

COLLISION OF STREET CAR WITH A TRAIN
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

DANVILLE, VA., Aug. 6.—A street car ran into one of the south-bound passenger trains here this afternoon at the point where the car track crosses the railroad in North Gate. The motor car and a colored passenger named Walter Brown were badly injured. How many were injured seriously. Many persons were killed. The car was a trailer attached to the train.

A street car struck the train about the center of the second-class coach and the entire front end of the street car was demolished. The damage to the train was slight.

The motorman claims that his car slipped and he could not control it as it was going towards the train.

MILD TYPE OF SMALLPOX
Democrats and Republicans Nominate Tickets in Wise County.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
PENNINGTON GAP, VA., Aug. 6.—Some time last spring a man came in to this place from Harrison County, Ky., and very short time after he came here he was taken sick and broke out, but in such a mild way that no one saw him. He was taken to a doctor, who said he was a case of smallpox. He was taken to a hospital, where he died. The doctor examined him and pronounced it smallpox.

A quarantine was at once established and all persons who had been in any way exposed, put in a house of detention. Up to the present time none outside of the hospital have been infected.

One man died a few days ago with it. It has been a very mild form, so much so, many people are loth to believe it smallpox. No less than forty persons have been in the county with only one fatality.

Both Democrats and Republicans have nominated tickets for the fall elections. It is now looking as if there will be a strong fight in the county. For the Legislature the Demo-

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grate have nominated Dr. W. N. McNeely, a very popular and strong man. The Republicans have nominated Mr. L. T. Hyatt, a young attorney of Jonesville. This county is close, but the Democrats now are very confident they will elect the whole of their ticket.

The Democrats are very much elated over the report that Senator Bruce will stand for re-election. He is considered to be one of the strongest men in the district and it is thought that all Democrats now are very confident they will elect the whole of their ticket.

Work has begun on the new railroad from this place to the coal fields. The line will be about seven miles long and will open up one of the best coal fields in Virginia. It is reported that the Black Mountain Coal and Coke Company, at once after the building of some five hundred coke ovens.

A DOUBLE SENTENCE FOR MAN OF ALIASES
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

LAWRENCEVILLE, VA., Aug. 6.—Brunswick County Court reconvened this morning for the purpose of trying George Ward, alias William Watson, and several other aliases, for stealing a steer, also for an attempt to burn the county jail, in which he was confined last Friday night.

In the first case the jury found him guilty, and fixed his term of imprisonment at five years in the penitentiary. In the second case the jury found him guilty, and sentenced him to three years to his next term, making his term eight years in all.

GRAND JURY IS TO INVESTIGATE ESCAPE
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

APFOMATTOX COURTHOUSE, VA., August 6.—Reuben Harvey, a negro, who was under sentence of twelve years in the penitentiary for attempted assault on Mrs. Cliff Jamison, escaped jail on Saturday night last.